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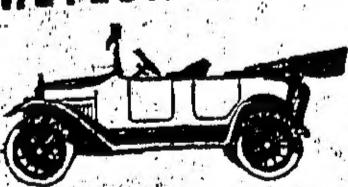
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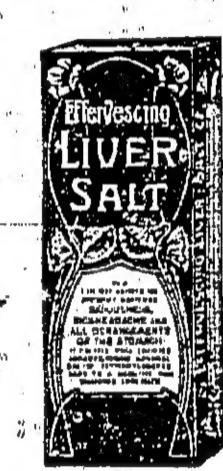
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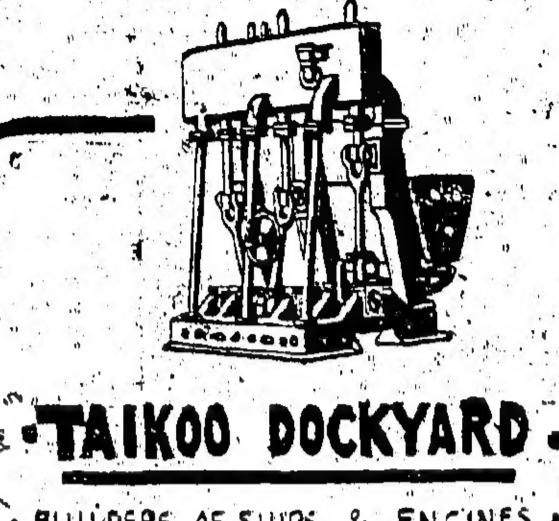
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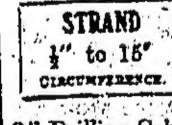
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OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUES

London, July 16.

1 a.m.

A French communique states: The German attack was begun about 4.30 and continued all day on both sides of Rheims, with un-

abuted violence. West of Rheims there were furious struggles in the region of Reuilly-Fossoy and Dormans. A vigorous American counter-attack drove back plete enemy Brigade Staff. to the north bank enemy elements west of Fossoy.

his efforts against Fruncy and Les the river. American machine-gun-Marquises in the regions north of ners contributed most effectively Prosess and Samin, but, despite towards defeating the enemy plans: repeated attacks, he has been unable to breach our fighting position.

FURIOUS ATTACKS.

Losnon, July 16, 4.40 p.m.

A French communique states :- that they are beaten. The battle continued towards the chlarge his agains, launched furious locality."

Agnan-Las Chapelle-Monthodon and the river, taking prisoners. the southern confines of the Forest of Bouquigny. We took 1,000 prisoners in this, region. We hold

Mureuilleport. North of the Marne we held the enemy at the southern approaches to Chatillon and the south-eastern borders of Rodemat Wood.

There is no appreciable change of the rest of the line. ...

The enemy made no attempt dur ing the night.

East of Rheims the Germans exhiusted by their fruitless struggle yesterday, were unable to pass beyond our cover zone, which runs through Prunay and the southern bordelegof the woods, northward, of the Roman high road us far as the Suippe region north of Sounf Perthes-les-Hurlus.

Our buttle positions have not been encroached upon anywhere. lo see yesterday were extremely on the evening of the 16th, says :-

AMERICAN COMMUNIQUE.

LONDON, July 16. An American official report on the

loth inst. states :--Eastward of Chateau Thierry where the enemy succeeded morning in ercasing the Marne on our front, gaining some ground, we counter-attacked and drove back the enemy to the Marne, taking 500

prisoners. In the Vosges five trench mide which were attempted by the enemy broke down:

LONDON, July 16. Reuter's Correspondent as American Headquarters, telegraphing or

GOOD WORK BY THE AMERICANS.

Monday evening, says:-The Americans in the river bend now command the river in front of them; so the German plan here is completely upset. A famous German Division on our left of the bend repeatedly attempted all days to cross, but all its assaults withered court-Hirzyvassy to the south of the under our fire. Not a single German Marne, which the enemy succeeded crossed. Our prisoners in the river in crossing at some points between bend counter-attack are now between 1,000 and 1,500, including a com-

Fighting continues very fiercely. When the Germans south of which reached the south bank to the Jaulonne rushed forward in the morning they had an objective Botween Dormans and Rheims fifteen kilometres distant. They are the French and Italians are tena- still remote from it, . two hours clously resisting on the line Chatil- after the time fixed for reaching it. lon-sur - Marne - Cuchery - Muriaust- The Americans organized a counterattack while open fighting was in East of Rheims the attack, which progress. The Germans retired extended from Sillery to Main-de- hesitatingly at first. Soon many Massiges, encountered an impregn. broke and mu. Within three hours able defence. The enemy renewed the enemy had been driven back to

> Loxpong July 16. Renter's Correspondent at American Headquarters, to day telegraphs that reports from the whole buttlefield indicate that, except in a few minor localities, the offensive bas been so far a complete failure, new prisoners saying they are convinced

An enemy curr er, pigeon messager end of the afternoon and last even- was captured cast of Chateau ing with redoubled violence. From Thierry saying: "The situation is Chateau Thierry to Rheims the serious. There is no chance of enemy, accentuating his efforts to making further progress in this

attacks." The fighting was particu- East of Rheims early this morning larly violent south of the Marne and we are not only bolding up enemy in the region of Chatillon. French attempts to advance, but appear to and American troops resisted the have broken up the spirit of the enemy magnificently and counter- enemy.

attacked vigorously on several occa-Our counter-attack drove out the enemy from a salient in the region? South of the Marne the Germans of Fossy. We improved our positions were unable to pass the line St. at night and drove the enemy across

ENEMY'S TIME-TABLE.

Pages, July 16. A semi-official statement published yesterday states that orders found on prisoners show that the Germans. were to reach Epernay on the even ing of the 15th; Chalons-sur-Marne on the 16th, and Sezannes on the

17th. The Germans employed 80 to 35 Divisions, nearly a Division to every two kilometres. They suffered heavy losses. The Shock Division," instead of being relieved only. in the evening, was compelled to be sent back in the morning to be reformed. East of Rheims hund dreds of German dead are hanging on the barbed wire, and numerous enemy Tanks strew the ground.

LONDON, Tuly 162-Renter's Correspondent at the Prisoners report that the German French Headquarters, telegraphing

Prisoners state that the Germans planned for the first day of the offensive an advance of twelve miles on the whole front, crossing the Marne. The enemy losses sro appalling. He finally throw half-at dozen pontoon bridges over the river, two of them being 85 feet wide, and flung numerous roops across. French airmen rained bombs on the concentrated troops waiting and the troops crossing the bridges. Two of the bridges were destroyed. Altogether the enemy gains are far less than on March 21st or May 27th.

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In a freent issue of the "Deutsche " almost in view of Herat." Politik," the weekly organ of Herr Paul Herr Hennig is for the present Robbbach and the other " Eastern " propagandists, the new ery is raised of " Hamburg Herat." The writer, "Herr Richard Hennig, professes to believe that the British people, thanks to their long -political experience, immediately recognized the whole meaning of Germany's policy and aims in the East as expressed in the Brest treaties, whereas the simple Germans were astonished at the talk c Berlin Batum " a or even " Berlin-Bokhara." It is then maintained that Hamburg-Herat is really much the

Ukraine, Cancasia, and Persia to Afghan-According to Herr Heinig, " Berlin-Baghdad " Is a city which will ultimately ' rise again in new splendour." but the new cry of "Hamburg-Herat " is guiding star of future world-economic policy." It is assumed that the Ukraine will be permanently subordinated to the purposes of German policy, and that Germany will have three new roads tothe East-through Austria and Galicia, through Poland, and through Lithuania. This will be ... a great advantage " as

best description of the German' scheme

of expansion through Lithuania, the

with Turkey, which was entirely under Austrian : Bulgarian, and Rumagian It will be seen that Herr Hennig was writing in ignorance of the new German control of the Rumanian railways. He proceeds to review all the railway possibilities present and future. He thinks it, will be quite easy, with German domination of Ukraine and Georgia, " to convert the line from Petrograd to Tabriz into a line from Berlin to Tabriz." British policy may be expected to object to the continuation of the line to the Persian Gulf or even to Tcheran," but

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would play a highly important part. It is then explained how Germany must develop existing railways and realize railway projects, in order to reach "the heart of Asia " on the Afghan frontier,

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A Berlin telegram says that the Kaiser has addressed the following manifesto to the Imperial Chancellor :--

Tige Reichsbank report for 1917 shows the splendid state; of our money market and the strength of the resistance of our economic life, which fills me with proud joy, and of which I should like to express my recognition to all concerned. This unparalleled success we certainly owe above all to the victories which the Divine Grace has bestowed on our leaders and the fighters of our"army and fleet. They are the foundation of the strong confidence in the invincible strength and the future of the Fatherland, which, us the eighth war loan has proved, fills all

classes of the population. ... Apart from that, however, it is the able conduct of our Reichsbank which?"together with the efficiency and patriotic spirit of all concerned, has furnished the been listening quietly to the conversastrong backbone which has enabled to raise the necessary war costs. I am glad to be able to express this, coming fresh from the battle-field under the impression created by our irresistible advance. We are conquering militarily and economically, and we have before us though not an easy, a strong future.

DESTRUCTION OF WILD LIFE.

The destruction of wild life in nature is one of the tragedies aftending the march of civilisation, but the preservation of threatened species is among the reat romances. The bison are not exterminated; the last dozen or so were saved, and herds are rising in Canada and the States. The milu, Pere David's deer, as it is called, survives, the only known herd pastured in the grounds of the Imperial Hunting Park at Peking. The Boxers broke in, killed and ate; and it was thought the race had vanished. But the Duke of Bedford had previously obtained two or three specimens, and Woburn was able to start the species

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won. The talk was on the prospects on the west front. "Could anything decisive be schieved there?" cost would be too great," said the pessimists. "The people would neve This was too much for ... He thumped the "They will stand the loss of a million men if I ask it. shall take good cars that among "that million are those who talk most about peace or who give trouble." "But the Socialists would never stand it," exclaimed a bespectacled Hun who had

we are fighting.

LUDENDORFF AND SOCIALISTS.

STORY, OF A DINNER PARTY.

dorff was an honoured and, it must be said, a revered guest. The dinner-table. talk was small; in fact, there was so much food that the guests had little time to talk; but after dinner, when coffse (not the scorn coffee of the masses) was handed round, war talk began. There were the pessimists. They started. Some of them taunted Ludendorff' with the fact, as they put it, that no general had been produced by the war and no winning military decision was possible. Ludendorff brushed aside the auggestion about the general as a thing not worth talking about and sharply asserted that a first-class military decision could be

"Socialists be damned," rapped

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out Ludendorff. "By the time you fear a revolution I shall have prevented The men will be dead, and women, as Napoleon said, cannot make revolutions." That is the man and the spirit

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A solemn Service of Thanks: salem from the hands of the Turks, who had held the city for an uninterrupted period of 673 years, was

The King, as Sovereign Head and Putron of the Order, was represented by the Viscount Sandhurst (Lord Chamberlain), Knight of Justice the Order. It was arranged His Lordship should be received. the entrance of the Church by the Sanctuary.

Her Royal Highness Princess Beatrice and Her Highness Princess Marie Louise, Ladies of Justice the Order, attended the Service.

By command of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Grand General, wearing their mantles and velvet hats, walked in procession The Grand Prior had expressed intention of taking his place in the procession, but was prevented by ill-health from doing so.

King of Arms), the Director of Ceremonics, marshalled the procession in Kingdom of Jerusulem, the Flag of the Order and the Cross of Chapter-General, dating from 1527. The Priory Church was filled with large, congregation of Members of the

The Sermon was preached by the Archbishop of York, Prelate of the

THE ARCHBISHOP'S SERMON.

If I forget thee; O Jerusalem, let im right hand, forget her cufining." Psalm 137, v. 5.

Ot all the happenings in this world-For rent and further particulars fical importance, none have more deeply stirred the imagination of men, than the capture of Jerusalem; for no city in the 589 world has been the centre of memories. ar devotion so deep, so universal and prolouged. If we 'may speak of' Athens as the city of the world's intellect, of London as the city of its commeler, of Flome as the city of its principles of government, of Florence as the city of its art, we may speak of Jerusalem as 483 the city of its soul. "

For long -centuries before the Christian era it had been regarded and venerated as the chosen fity of Him whom the Hebrews gradually came to worship es the God of all the earth. When it was desolated and laid low, the Flebrew people turned to it with a love and longing which still moves the spirit of men in their imperishable Psalms. Still that wonderful people-preserved through trials and persecutions so marvellously that it still seems" marked for some high, mysterious destiny-venerates Jerusalem as the city of its dreams, its prayers and its hopes, ' To the Christian it is the home of eyen holier and more hallowed memories; for its streets felt the footprint, its courts and gardens heard the voice, of the highest and holiest of the sons of men-of Him in whom God walked this earth and spoke to men as a friend. His longing love for Jerusalem was nitered in words of unforgettable pathos. There" Hensuffered, died. was buried, and rose again. There His spirit flowed into the hearts of men.

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Europe sacrificed itself in a passionate desire to rescue. Thither for long centuries hundreds of pilgrins have wended their way from every region of the earth. Still in every part of Christendum, where men assemble to evelchance the most sucred rite of their religion, a anemorial is offered which takes their spirit hack to the upper room in Jerusalem, "Truly giving for the recapture of Jerus every man and woman in whom the soul is living must needs say, "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her conning."

"We of all others who belong to this held in the Grand Priory Church of Order have our own very special association with the Holy City. "We bear its name. Its history and ours are inseparately bound together. Sine hundred and soventeen years have passed since the merchants of Amalti sat up within its gates a hospital for pilgrims, dedicated that to St. John Eleemon, which soon became the noble hospital dedicated to St. John the Baptist, and the central home of the Sub-Prior (the Earl of Plymouth) St. John of Jerusalem, with their and the Secretary-Cioneral (The Rt. Knights, their & Chaplains, and their Last Hon. Evelyn Cecil, M.P.), and con- Serving Brothiers. Driven forth by the ducted by them to his sent in the danquering Saladin 700 years ago, the Order set the rescue of the city before their face as the supreme object of their care. From this place where we are assembled our fathers sent forth their arms, their prayers, and their knights to aid the great adventure of the Unfeedes, It was an adventure stained, indeed, by feroeity and fends, typical of a wild and passionate time, but yet it was enuclied Prior, the Members of the Chapter- by devotion to a high ideal. It gave to the Middle Ages, the great tradition of Chivalryll the central fire of arms, of literature and art. Even now, this refrom St. John's Cate to the Church, stored English branch of the Order has his given proof of its faithfulness to the old ideals and traditions, in the Hospital of St. John, which dooks neross the Valley of Hinnorn to the tomb of David, and heyand it to theguitader of Zion and the Sir Alfred Scott-Catty (Garter holy places of the Lord. For all these centuries, through manifold vicissitudes, this Order has been mindful of its origin. and its heart has kept repeating the rewhich were borne the Barner of the frain, " It I forget thee, O Jerusalem. let my right hand forget her cunning." We, therefore, of all othersemust needs have been thrilled by the news that a British Army had entered and taken possession of Jerusalena. Most fitting is

it that we should assemble to give thanks to Almighty God for this fulfilment of an age-long hope, and desire. It was indeed with no pemp and pageantry of in which we have to fulfil our service. the Middle Ages that the British General. The whole of human history may indeed on the 11th December; entered the Jaffar be rightly regarded as one long struggle Gaze and proclaimed on Mount Zion that between Babylon, the power of material the long struggle of the Crosades had Might, and Jerusalem, the ideal of moral at last been achieved. The city was Rights Is it presumption that we should a won, not by hosts of knights with waving see in this present conflict a stage in penuants and shining armour? but by plain that age-long struggle? May we not dare. citizens in arms-our brothers taken to believe that we are meeting the chaltion the fields and the factories of Eng- lenge of a great power, swollen with the land and the plains and Sities of the ambition to achieve world-dominion by British Dominions beyonder the seas: material force, with the ideal of a higher Their memories of the bbly places may kingdom of truth and justice and mercy the elsh and flow of its mighty armies- have been faint and few, recalling dis- and freedom and peace? If it be so, we Also, in CANTON, HOUSE, No. 31, many have had greater military and poli- tant days in our English schools; but, have indeed to stay our souls, in the however unconsciously, they too, like the midst of increasing strain, on the height Crosaders, were giving "proof "of their and strength of our spiritual ideal. There loyalty to a high ideal. We may dare are still harder sacrifices which we must be to believe that it was an ideal mot unworthy of Him who, when He stood in so hallowed, of longing so intense, of the city of Jerusulenia confuncting the representatives of the world-power of His human day, set before Him the claims right hand forget her cumning." of a higher and nobler kingdom of moral and spiritual truth. "How long we may be in possession of the Holy City-what the future political settlement of Palestine may bet these things are uncertain," tered by the convulsions of war. The What is certain is, that a new era in the history of the most sucred city of the and women of this generation will have

would drawned on that day when it, was " placed within the care of a great Chris-But Jerusalem is not only, the centre Jerusalem is to prevail. The call to reof hallowed memories; it is the symbol and the type of that spiritual City of God, that divine order which never comesand, yet is ever coming—the city laid up in the heavens, whose Maker and whose Builder is God. Even when the earthly Jerusalem had been burned and wasted by the legions of Rome, the sear of Patness saw the Heavenly City, the Holy Jerusalent, descending out of heavenfrom God, having the glory of God. To that vision I would bid you lift your eyes have the courage of a high ideal which and hearts this day. To him it was " will rebuke cynicism and fainthearted-1." wision of the Church of Christ, adorned as a bride for her husband. Since then, thanksgiving of this day there were to to countless generations of Christians it arise, the offering of a great desire and has been a vision of that city of peace, a fixed resolve. in which the long travail of the human spirit finds its rest and its reward-a Bring me my bow of burnished gold, vision which has sustained the hope of of the human race. It has given mankind Bring me my spear, O clouds, unfold, courage to endure the seeming futility. Bring me my chariot of fire. of its highest ideals, and the pathos of a will not cease from mental strife. its doom of death.

Jerusalem, my happy home, Name lever dear to me. When shall my labours have an end, Thy joys when shall I seq? When shall my eyes thy heaven-built

And pearly gates behold, ... Thy bulwarks with salvation strong, And streets of shining gold?

mon good-there is no doubt as to the In this longing for rest, in this invin- place which the members of this Order, cible faith that there is some higher if they are fathful to their high tradidestiny for human life than can here be, tions, must take. It is for them to give fulfilled; man has in every age repeated witness resolutely and undanniedly to The great b ment derived from Dr. to himself, " If I forget thee! O Jens, the spiritual, the ideal; to say censeless. salem, let my right hand forget her fy, amid the clamour of right policies,

conning." If I forget their O Jerusalem, let my

Yet to us of this Twentieth Century right hand forget her cunning." the vision brings an even nobler mean- It is not only the trust of the Holy ing. It speaks to us not only of the places in Jerusalem that has been conpromise of a peace hereafter, but of the mitted to this nation but the higher ideal and goal of resolute and high and nobler trust of the faith and ideals Start to-day to strengthen your hearted effort here and now. We are to of which these are but the earthly sym. of 200 feet long. see the heavenly city, the holy Jerusalem, bols. So may the capture of Jerusalem Williams pink pills from any chemist. not so much awaiting us berealter as here Bo the parable and the promise of the or direct; one bottle for \$1.5", six for \$8, from the Chips Office of the Dr. Wiland now, descending out of heaven from capture of all the energies of our social lisms Medicine Co., 98 Szechuen Road. God calling us to bring its light and and national life for the kingdom of our 280 Shanghal. The price includes postage. order into the shuman life and society Lord and of His Christ:

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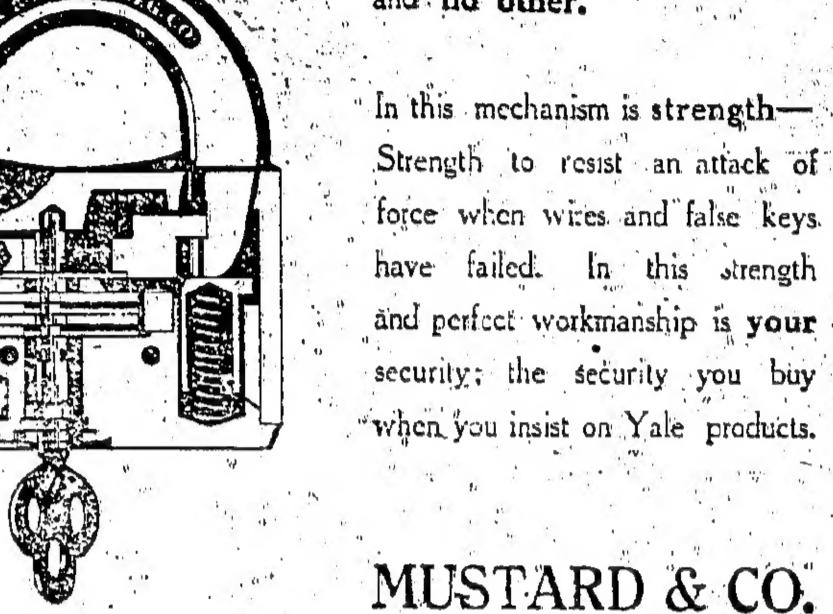
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meet, still more bitter trials which we

must endure: let us meet them with the

refrain of confage rising in our hearts-

" If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my

In the days to come may we be mind-

ful of this heavenly vision. This generated

tion will be called to the task of rebuild-

ing, a civilisation which has been shar-

question which the conscience of the men

to meet is the question whether in our

rebuilding we are to follow material or

spiritual ideals, whether Bubylon on

store and rebuild the earthly Jerusalem

stirred the hearts of the Hebrew exiles

and summoned Christendom to the great

sadventure of the Middle Age; in the

Twentieth Century the call to restore!

and rebuild on earth the heavenly Jyru-

salem, the city of spiritual ideals, in

our land and empire, and in the wider

commonwealth of nations, must arouse

within us a like spirit of chivalrous ad-

venture. Let us in these coming days.

ness. Well would it be 'if with our

Norishall the sword sleep, in my hand

In England's green and pleasant land.

In the coming struggle between

spiritual ideals upon the other-between

the pursuit of private advantage, com-

fort and case, and the pursuit of a truer.

polity based upon fellowship for the com-

materialism on the one hand

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Hawkins, of Hampstead, and Mrs.

Hawkins, of Seld enRoad, Worth

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, July 18, 1918.

THE NEW OFFENSIVE,

True German offensive less at last

ported by the Americans. It will

for detail which characterises the

German, the time chosen for the

attack of was the evening of the

French National Fête Day. Possibly.

it was calculated "that, the night of

July 14th would find the French

soldiers not too alert after the day's

festivities. But, as it turned out,

the French artillery anticipated the

the enemy did not find progress as

easy as captured documents show

is regarded as "a complete failure."

very fierce fighting continues. The

first day of a great attack, however,

generally gives the measure of the

success of that enterprise, and we

Generalissimo of the Allied armies,

mention of any British troops being

engaged in this battle, but, besides

played a distinguished part, and

the cables to Italian co-operation

with the French. It is not yet clear

whether this offensive in the vicinity

of Rheims is intended to be the main

of the German army—one report

the German High Command intended

any notion of the great strength of

the attacking forces, the German

them cause for great jubilation-

How long this battle will last it

is impossible to say, but seeing

that the Germans are now being

losses. If he is successfully held here

south-westward and eastward

to concentrate, in the lione

eventually reaching Paris. If

reference is also made in one

is well satisfied with the result

the day's fighting. There is

though the latest news is

are told that General Focu.

Mail.

the late Captain Laurence J. W.

To-day's Advertisements

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he is certain to strike elsewhere, and the next three months are likely to be a period of the most bitter, fightinga Failure to gain their principal Sigestives will spell defeat for the Germans, and with American troops pouring into France at the rate at which they have been coming in the past few months will place General FOCH in the position of being able. when the German, strength has been sufficiently weakened, to deliver the blow which should be the deciding factor in the struggle. There may be' many disappointing incidents in the struggle before that stage is reached, but we can be sure that the war will not end until the Allied armies have triumphed over the common for.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A Peking o telegram to-day states the total amount of loans contracted by the Prime Minister is now 122 million

Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse has been appointed acting Captain Superintendent Shepherd's Bush, W., uncle of the of Police during the absence of the Hon. Mrs. C. McI. Messer, who left" the Colony on short leave yesterday. Hossey (late 17th Leicestershire

An interesting sight was witnessed and grandson of the late Rev. | this afternoon at the Central Police Station, when 49 healthy-looking Chinese were lined up and \$5 distributed to each one of them. On enquiry it was ascertained that they were a batch late Edward Thomas of undesirables who landed at Hongkong from Singapore, their "undesir ability" dying in, the fact that they efused to take up employment, service. Consequently they are to be deported to their homes and the five dollars constitutes "pocket expenses."

" Our Little Bit Society " sent two cases of War work to-day to Messrs, Shewan, Tomes & Co. to be forwarded to Miss E. A. Rutherford, Assistant Matron: Royal Herbert Hospital, Woolwich, London. The cases contained 192 suits flannel pajamas, 21 sleeveless sweaters, 36 mufflers, 200 ear delivered in the Rheims region and eye bandages, 50 pairs cloth against the French, who are sup- slippers, it, white woollen caps; roller bandages, 58 flannel vests. mops and 1'15 milk covers.

> MURDER OF POLICE SERGEANT GLENDINNING.

> SUICIDE OF THE MURDERER.

Reports of the dastardly murder of Crown Police Sergeant Glendenning, in charge of the Tai O station, in Lantao Taland, reached Hongkong German bombardment by an hour, and | vesterday evening shortly after 6 when the infantry attacks commenced o'clock.

It appears that an Indian constable B18, stationed at Tai O was charged at the Magistracy before Mr. Wolfe they expected. The offensive so far on Tuesday with the theft of a gold chain, a silver watch" and \$14 in cash from members of the force stationed at Tai O. On being released on bail he returned to Tai O established obtain his belongings. We learn from of Messra, Brower & Co. The issue raised arrival he went into the charge room, I conceded by the Tribunal in the nearly in which Sergeant Gleridenning was identical case of Mesers. Kelly & Walsh, seated at his desk, and shot him with in which firm, although the manager a service revolver. This was witnessed was exempt by reason of age, an banishment and was again deported. In at whom the Indian also fired. He total exemption. Under these circumthen went into "the boat shouse, stances, I: shall pass this point adjoining the Police compound, and with only a brief summarization attempted to shoot two other boatmen, of the reasons in support thereof, who took refuge under their bed, but although I should be pleased to the French, the American army has

Then he went upstairs and took that their present state is rushed upstairs, and the constable locked up the house, then went back to the lost house and poured kerosene oil on top of the bed under which the two boatmen had been lying, and set

What followed immediately after is not accurately known, but as far as can be gathered the Indian constable wanted to shoot at anybody who came along." Fortunately no one was injured. The smoke and flames coming from the Sergt. Perkins, and as it came alongto his own room, got on his bed, German people behind the lines have pulled down the mosquito curtains,

and her young child, who were was, that since the business had been official announcement that "to the in the upper floor of the Police carried on from June 1913 to January building, were in danger of being burnt 1918 without a European manager, such and had to be rescued from the a state of affairs might again obtain; to Rheims we penetrated parts of the verendate.

French positions" will not 'offord The body of the decessed officer was period the firm was run at a loss. Can brought to Hongkong last night, Mrs. it be maintained that business men who ing it from Tai O. The funeral takes a profit for their own account would on four counts. place this evening, the cortege prissing prove more successful on behalf of the Monument at 5.30.

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> > W. P. Seath.

J. Sloan C. Young. The following men of military ago from this Company have been rejected as unfit for service .- R. Dunley, C. D. Sullivan, M. O'Brien and T. Bateman. 4.30 p.m. - Messes, W. S. Beiley & Co.

Medically fit :- . " T. Ramsay. from this firm have been rejected as substitution would provide the personal unfit for service .- A. C. S. Pike and D. A. Goodwin.

4.30 p.m. - Meser's, Lover Brow. Ltd. Medically fit :-L. D. MacNicol.

No men of military age from this firm have been rejected as unfit for

5.06 p.m .- A. G. Graham (late of Kowfoon Docks) medically fit.

THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL.

MR. N. I. BREWER.

The Appeal Tribunal held its second sitting this morning in the Council Chamber at 9.30. The case before the Tribunal was that of Mr. N. I Brawer, proprietor of Messes. Brawer & Co., booksellers, stationers &c.

.His Excellency, the Governor, ad dressing Mr. Brewer, said: In your case the Tribural has decided that you shall not be exempt. It has granted you temporary exemption for three months to make arrangements. You now wish to appeal against that: decision and the Appeal Tribunal would like to know whether you have any fresh reasons not produced before the Tribunal that

you wish to urge before it. Mr. Brewer said Thave one or two fresh reasons which I would like to put forward more clearly, in my opinion, than in the papers before you.

Mr. Brewer read the following statement :- In maintaining Mr. N. Brewer to be entitled to total exemption it is pecessary to show : (1) That the existence of Messra. Brewer & Co. is expedient in the essential interests of accused had rather a long record. the Colony; (2) That Mr. N. L. Brewer is indispensible to the effective running authoritative sources that on his in the first point has already been by the boatmen of the Police Jaunch assistant, Mr. Mend, was also granted February 1913, he was again found amplify same if it be your opinion ten years. He returned the same year Mrs. Gleudenning into the charge conclusive. Our firm was established room and pointed to her what he had in 1883. .. Books are a necessary part of fourteen: months' hard labour done. Terrified by the sight, she civilized life not merely for amusement, larceny, and for returning from banish. ly a wealthy man, was lying on a sofa but for education and knowledge of topical events. The supply of stationery and paper stocks generally are, an increasingly necessary factor of business life. English literature and periodicals exercise a considerable influence on Chinese public opinion. The exemption of Mr. Mead of Measrs. Kelly & Walsh. effectively expresses "the Tribunal's concurrence with the above. In considering a firm from the standpoint of to do with you. You have returned handed the letter to the occuan "essential interest" no consideration four times notwithstanding that on the of profit applies; the supply of a legiboat house, attracted the attention of timate demand being the salient point. the Police launch in charge of But in considering the indispensibility life. I think the only course open to me then attacked the occupier and bound linthe service of the Indo-China Steam of a manager, the question of profit must is to give you a long term of imprison and gagged him with the assistance of Navigation Co., Hongkong, and for side the Indian, it is supposed, went be entertained, as no man or group of men would agree indefinitely to maintain a business as a losing proposi-The Tribunal's attitude with At this time Mrs. Gleudenning regard to Mr. Brewer's indispensibility

this I would point out that during this another? It was the probable degrade-This crime following upon the other tion of the business founded by my

Butterfield and Swire, and hazard

restore Brewer and Co. to its former position. Since the business has been J. Maclachlan and W. Gens. in my hands, a satisfactory profit has been made each month, but though ultimate success is now a certainty

my care) yet it will be necessary for the accused were liable on each count the manager to surbordinate his person- In the [present case an important some time to come, to be content to part of the evidence was given by a live on a pittance that the firm may man who admitted stealing the child am doing, but this I can sak no one from Canton. It was not fair to depend else to do for me. Moreover there is the personal equation :- The fact that turned a big firm into a small one, after the firm which once paid its owners \$6,000 per annum sold for \$9,000 after endeavours of the purchasers had but regulted in a further loss ! that the son

In conclusion, the personal equation. renewed the firm's credit with our shipments, for the old Firm; it established a friendly relation with Messre. Brewer & Co. of Shanghair and the Shanghai Banking Corporation in he came back at five o'clock in increased our London credit, must be partially ascribed to the same since such increase was refused my predecessors. To summarise,

should then step in to repair

maintain the continued existence Mesars. Brewer & Co. to be expedient in the essential interests of the Colony out European management is a financial impossibility; to replace Mr. Brewer by a suitable European at van "adequate the business greater than it can (at this The following men of military age juncture) bear; and that no possible

the position (as in January last) of a potential bankrupt to the degree importance formerly possessed His Excellency said:—The, Council has considered your case very carefully and it has decided to uphold the decision of the Tribunal. Under the Ordinance as you are no doubt awars from the

tion, to go back to the Tribunal and ask for further exemption. If they refuse, you can appeal again to this upon and the child was left and the Mr. Brewer: A ticket-of-leave exemp-

tion is no use to a business man. cannot enter into contracta; it will kill my business and-His Excellency :- You have heard

the decision of this Council? Mr. Brower : Yes, sir. This terminated the proceedings.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

TWO COURTS SIT.

The July Criminal Sessions wer opened this morning Sir William Rees Davies, K.C., Chief Justice, presiding in the first Court and Mr. Justice Gompertz in the second Court.

[BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE.]

RETURNED BANISHEE. Lo, Him was charged with dis obedience of an order of banishment.

The accused pleaded guilty. The Attorney General said the Kwong. was sentenced to six weeks hard labour in September, 1905, for larceny and was deported for five years. He returned and in May 1910 he received six months' hard labour for returning from in the Colony and got one month for larceny. In March, 1916, he had again returned and got three months' hard inbour for larceny and was deported for in September, and was sentenced to

ment he was deported for life. Asked if he had anything to my

accused replied he had not. His Lordship :- You have made up The man asked his wife your mind that you will return to this down and get the letter and Bride, the Rev. C. Meyrick Wood (Vicar Colony, and the police, apparently, when she opened the door a strange have made up their minds that you man, the third accused, entered and shall not. I am at a loss to know what went up to the cubicle and last occasion you were banished for saked him his business. The man steam. For the past 23 years he has been ment so as to ensure that you will not return to the Colony for some time You are evidently regarded as, a most undesirable character. The sentence of

hard labour for four years.

Glendenning and her child accompany- have proved themselves unable to make Lai Lim were charged with kidnapping, Accused pleaded not guilty.

the Court is that you go to prison with

The Attorney General appeared for the prosecution and Mr. R. E Colony, which have occurred this year | consideration) which persuaded me to Belilion appeared for the first occused. The jurymen wers Messre. H. E all Is possessed in an endeavour to Ethelbert, W. E. Hoogeworff, W.

Pringle, T. G. F. Fleming, A. Mackensie

The Attorney General, outlining the case, explained the legal meaning o (subject to the business remaining in the charges and the penalties to which benefit. This is what I have done, and and bringing it down to Hongkong upon the avidence of an accomplice unless the original founder was my father, there was strong corroboration. In the that after years of mismanagement' had present case they had that corroboration They had the evidence of a woman who was present and saw the child taken to another woman. Also the second prisoner admitted having brought the child down to Hongkong, but that did not mean that she admitted the offence she was damage others had wrought; this is not only a pretty piece of sentiment, but charged with, but it was corroboration, also a serious business factor.

One of the witnesses who would be One of the witnesses who would be called is the father of the little girl who arrival of the Police Launch at Tai O. London agents, (Mr. Henry Brewer) was stolen. He is a rickshaw coolie in who had already threatened to cesse Canton and lived there with his wife murder has shocked the Colony, a triple and little daughter. He last saw his tragedy would have occurred. little girl on the morning of May 1 courtesy of the Hongkong and when he left home to go to work. When evening, she had gone. He reported the His persuasive eloquence combined with matter to the police and made continuous search for his daughter for about two wacks, when he discovered a man whom he knew had taken the girl out on the for reasons already given: I maintain day she disappeared. He had this man that to run Messrs Brewer & Co. with l'arrested and the latter offered to come down to Hongkong and try and trace with an everflowing Treasury. the child. The mother would tall the salary would be placing a burden on I jury that she was not clear whether the man asked permission to take the child out but she was certain he did take her interest and self-subordination, which out ostensibly to give her some teaalone can (and undoubtedly will) On the 9th May two men and the raise Messrs. Brewer & Co. from second prisoner went up to Canton from Hongkong with the intention of kidnapping the child and at Canton the matter was discussed. The accomplice and the second prisoner brought the child down to Hongkong by and left her at a certain house where she public statement of the Chairman of remained for about ten days. The first the Tribunal, you are entitled at the prisoner took the child out with a view expiration of your three months' exemp- to selling it and a woman was eventually got to adopt the child. - After three visits to this woman a price was agreed

> first prisoner took the money. The father of the stolen child then gave evidence as to losing the child. After hearing further evidence jury found the first accused guilty selling the child with a knowledge of theft, and the second accused guilt of their and harbouring the child with intent to sell.

His Lordship passed sentence of five

years' hard labour in each case.

[SEFORE MR. JUSTICE GOMPERTZ, ARMED ROBBERY.

EX-ADMIRAL IMPLICATED.

Chun Hing, Leung Chan Kwan, Fung Yew Ting, Chu Wa, Sit Chiu and Li Chang were charged with armed robbery by two or more in Wood a gutter urehin, I would like him to Road, Wanchai

The accused pleaded not guilty. The second accused, Loung Chan Kwan, is said to be an ex-Admiral of the Chinese Navy under Lung Chi-

Mr. G. H. Wakeman, Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution and

the accused were undefended. The jurymen were Mosers. W. G. Baker, J. S. Caffin, A. H. Abbas, N. J. Austin, A. D. Humphreys, H. E. Green and A. Aitchisou.

Mr. Wakeman, outlining the case, said the six prisoners were charged with armed robbery at No. 7 Wood Road, Wanchai, on May 19. Evidence would mbe brought to show that for top floor of the house, who is apparentwhen he heard a knocking at McConnel Hussey and Miss Mary the door and someone shouted that he had a letter" to deliver that the man was a stranger and Marine since 1880 both in sail and the five other sconeed, who had many years now has been in command rushed into the cubicle. They also of various vessels of the Company's Fleet, threatened to do all the other inmates the last being the Tung Shing, from bodily harm. The men were all armed July, 1910 to November, 1912 Capt. with ravolvers, and after gagging the Hussey has several presentation Flags occupants of the house they pro from Chinese Firms for whom he has cooled to ransack the place, stealing been working in connection with the articles of jewelery and other stuff China Coast Trade. to the value of about \$2,000. He was at school in the Town at the When the men left, the alarm was late Worthing House School, prior to given and the first acoused was arrested leaving for sea, as a cadet; and was whilst running along the Prays, lake in the choir at St. Andrews where This man gave information to the the wedding took place. police which enabled them to arrest two of the other prisoners at a house | were received and a large number of in Shanghai Street. The next day friends of both were present at the the second, third and fourth, prisoners were arrested just as they were about

to board the Macao steamer.

Inspector Terrot then gave syldence,

After hearing further evidence the

case was adjourned until to morrow.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE TRACEDY AT THE C.

[To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL!]

Sin Pirsoy and murder," fires, robheries, typhoons, and now murder, arson and suicide! How many more such disasters are necessary to arouse the Government of Hongkong, Executive and Legislative, Official and Un-" official, to a sense of their neglect of the Islands and Islanders, to which the gracious protection of the British

Empire extended some 20 years ago ! " During that period the Police Stations at Tai O, Tung Cheung, Chaung Chau and Lamma have been crying in vain for electrical communication with Head Quarters and sach other.

Had it not been for the fortuitous in time to save the fives of the family of the Sergeant whose deplorable

It is to be hoped that the new District Officer (South) will display a little more interest in his District than his poetical and laisser fairs predecessors. the magnetic influence of the D. S. P. (R) should surely be sufficient to persuade a Carsonite Governor, Canny Treasurer, Dilatory Director and Birrellian C.S.P. of the value of that rare criv the uncombed out Police Officer, and of the crying needs of the distressful Islands. The ples of expense is unavailing

> Yours truly, WIRELFSS

A TRAFFIC QUESTION.

DEAR SIR, Allow me to encroach o your valuable space, to draw attention to a nuisance which occurs every evening on the roadway immediately opposite the North Point Hotel.

The readway is often crowded with loiterers, who do not enter the premises, but use the roadway as a promenade, at the same time causing an obstruction which endangers), themselves and

On the sound of an approaching tramear, there is a rush and a scramble to get in the cars, thus blocking up the roadway, and preventing exit from the cars. I know of a case of two ladies who by mistake got into a car that stops at this spot, and in trying to make an exit, were so hemmed in that they had. other alternative but to return on the same car. I have seen as many as three trams and a number of motor cars congested there, and it is a wonder that no serious secidents had occurred. Unfortunately one occurred last

night, but without serious consequences, with the exception that the writer was grossly insulted, a circumstance that might have led to serious trouble.

The Authorities concerned should andeavour to remedy this, or insist on the owners of the Hotel maintaining a couple of Indians as watchmen, in order to keep the crowd from rushing as soon Before Mr. Justice Gompertz, Chen as the sound of a tram approaches. Should this catch the eye of the

European who, with upraised cleuched fist, challenged and addressed me in a style befitting only one brought up as know that I was unable to reply to his challenging fist and vulgarity at that moment, by reason of the fact that I was giving succour to the injured who was foremost in my thoughts. Being free now, I am prepared to accept his challenge at any time and place.

Thanking you for having allowed me this valuable space, and enclosing my card with my business and residential. address, which you are at liberty to furnish the European concerned should

Hongkong, July 18th, 1918.

THE MARRIAGE OF CAPTAIN L. HUSSEY.

The following account extracted from between 9 and 10 o'clock in the even- a Worthing paper, will interest Captain ing, the occupier of a cubicle on the Hussey's, wide circle of friends in the.

> The marriage of Captain L. F. G. Hawkins was solemnised at St. Andrew's Church on Wednesday, the ceremony being performed by the Vicar (Rev. E. K., go Boyd) assisted by the Uncle of the of St. Stephen's, Shepherd's Bush). The Bride and Bridegroom represent. two families who have long had their residence in Worthing. Captain Hussey has had a long and interesting career,

Many valuable and manul pre

The Bride was given away by her brother in-law. A Buskland Dixon Esq., and Capt. Slater, det., acted as best man, the happy pair leaving

for London and Tunbridge Walls.

TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

THE

GREAT BATTLE.

THE ENEMY'S FINAL AIM.

London, July 16. Reuter's Correspondent at French Hendquarters, telegraphing on the afternoon of the 15th, says:--

They enemy, gast of Rheims appearing in Champague, and Poul langue, "the most desolute region of Contrak France. It is impossible for him to achieve a decisive victory | here. It is nowise clear that this is the main attack. It may be diversion intended to draw our reserves from Phetiles to prepare the vay "for a Comman attack in region. The sea or Paris must be the enemy's final aim; consequently he will probably throw his whole strength into the attack between Chatean Thierry and Rheims with a view to enlarging his base betateur the Aisne and the Marne for an advance on Paris, " "

IS IT THE MAIN ATTACK?

London, July 16. Mil'tary critics agree that it would be premature to describe this as the German unin ottack, although the size of the offensive in which it is estimated, sixty Divisions, are engaged suggests that it is the main attack. It is known that the Germans have prepared attacks at many other points, notably on the Aniens

BRITISH SO FAR NOT ENGAGED.

Lospos, July 16. The Prilly News is informed that the British so far have not been engaged in the battle.

AN AUTHORITATIVE ACCOUNT:

THIRTY GERMAN DIVISIONS ENGAGED.

London, July 15. Reuter is nuthoritatively informed hat up to a welock last might the situation on the French front had very little changed. The atfacks were continued yesterday by "the armies of General von Below and theneral 'yon." Boehn, 'the two left armies of the Crown Prince's group. East of Rileins, until 7 o'clock last evening heavy enemy attacks were anade, along the whole front, especially at Souain, in Which Tanks assisted." There was also an attack at Propay in which the Germans captured a small wood south-east of " the village. All attacks in this region, except these two, were repulsed with very heavy loss."

everywhere intact."

attacks were launched in the Marne of sending American acroplanes to Valley and south of Dormans. The Europe by nir. enemy, threw six bridges over the Mame between Domans and Reuilly along a four-mile front. At no point west, of Rheims has the enemy penetrated the French positions more than four miles. The Americans recaptured Sossy and Crezantz.

So far the evidence shows that the enemy intended to make a really hig effort. Out of over thirty German Divisions so far engaged a large proportion came from Prince Rupprecht's array,

Regarding the improbability that the Germans, will, undertake another, offensive while the present offensive! is, proceeding, the idea that this is a diversion can be definitely put aside. The situation is distinctly good. The French are quite satisfied and say they have the situation well in hand. The enemy's progress on the first day has been nothing like that of the March or May offensives. Evidently the pre-Bent offensive will not run the same course as the others, though it cannot yet be said that it is definitely held ap. The only news this morning is that fighting is still progress-

Intermingling of French and BRITISH TROOPS CEASED.

LONDON, July 16. Lie Times states that the intermingling of French and British troops has beased. It says that the British troops on the Marne have the polling was as follows: gone north, and the French linite. which have been at Ypres, have crejoined the main French forces.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, July 16. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports:-The New Zealanders made a suc-

cessful raid in the neighbourhood of Hebuterne, taking over 30 prisoners and 12 nuchine-guns.

We slightly improved our line in the Villers Bretoniscux sector after sharp fighting and also took a few prisoners in the neighbourhood

Hostile" artillery, is active southwestward of Albert and somewhat factive at different points, on the northern British front.

PURSUIT OF THE ENEMY IN ALBANIA

Losbon, July 16. A French Eastern communique

Centiming our pursuit in Albania we passed Gramsi and reached the outskirts of Cekeni Cruja where we field position. "Our left established that he is expressing the epinion of touch with the Italians who ends tured Cafabarza heights. .

AUSTRIA AND THE WAR. PREPARED TO DISCUSS EVERY-THING, "EXCEPT ----.

Amstendam, July 16. Count Burian, in the course of report on Austro-Hungarian foreign policy, "dechares; "The enemy's obstitutey regarding his territorial demands concerning Alsney-Lorraine, the Trentino, Trieste, the German Colonies, etc., appear insurmountable. We are prepared to discuss everything except the cossion of our own ferritory.

THE EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.

THE FLAGUE, July 16. prisoners, themselves.

AMERICAN AEROPLANES, TO EUROPE BY AIR.

Eospon, July 16. New York newspapers ascribe to Major-General Brancker, now on mission to the United States relating to the co-ordinating of Anglo-American aviation efforts, the statement that the British and American The French line of resistance is Governments may updertake Trans-Atlantic flights this year, with a West of Rheims the heaviest view to testing the practicability

JAPANESE BATTLESHIP BLOWS

OVER 500 KILLED.

Paris, July 16. A message from Tokio states that the Japanese buttleship Kawachi blew up on the 12th inst. Tokuyama Bay and sank. It estimated that over 500 were killed.

THE ROYAL SILVER WEDDING.

THE SHOWER OF GIFTS.

London, July 18. The project of offering the Queen a shower of gifts for the wounded in celebration of their Majestles! silver wedding has been a most armazing success.

Princess Bentrice yesterday at St. James' Palace presented the Queen with 575,701 gifts in kind besides . £0,268. And the second of the second

The Queen expressed her astonishment at the magnificent fotal from so many parts of the world. There was an astonishing display in Queen Anne's drawing" toorn including the most varied offerings from the Dominions. Many cases are still unpacked; others are en route, so that the figures are incomplete.

BYE-ELECTION.

LONDON, July 17.

Mr. Cattou (Coulition st) ... 1,153 Captain Spencer (Vigilante) 576 Mr. Beliber (Independent) 190

INDIAN REFORMS. MAHARAJA OF PATIALA'S CONVICTIONS.

KING-EMPEROR'S QUARREL IS OUR QUARREL.

London, July 18. The Malaraja of Patiala, in the course of a statement to the Times fies to the thoroughness and care with which the Hone Mr. Edw Montagu (Secretary of State-India) and Lord Chehnsford, Viceroy, conducted the inquiry India. He says: "The Report is fitting sequel to the most important linquiry conducted in India in recent years." He is glad to see in the chapter dealing with Indian States reference to their war efforts. "W feet that the King-Emperor's quarre is our quarrel and, as the as the linked be closer if possible than ever to the Throne and person of the are in contact with an Austrian forti. King-Emperor. " He has no doubt his brother Princes in welcoming whole-heartedly the proposals, en 'suffing in questions, where British India and the Indian States are jointly concerned, that the views of the Princes should be presented to

the Government by an authoritative

He continues: We look forward

to taking our place in the organic

body speaking on their behalf. ..

development of the British Empire, and, if we have to do this satisfactorily, provision must exist for taking our, views, into account as regards The relations between India as . whole and Foreign States, also as regards such questions as Defence Currency and Customes. He was unable to speak on behalf of British India as regards the recommendations for the development of Pro-| vincial Self-Government or the sug-Speaking ut the final meeting of gested changes in the Government the War Prisoners Conference, after of India, but be would draw the the agreement had been reached, attention of his countrymen to the Lord Newton pointed out that statement of Sir S. P. Sinha, cabled though the agreement had been most on July 8th. His was confident that difficult to reach it was still more Sir S. P. Sinha's judgment would difficult to carry out its provisions; receive most careful consideration owing to the peculiar gircumstances, in India, The Ruling Princes realthe chief of which was the difficulty ised how closely the fortunes of of transport, as the Gernaus hold their States were interwoven with by Great Britain are scattered those of British India and they throughout the globe. He hoped, welcomed such developments, which however, that the provisions would were designed to associate the people by liberally interpreted by both of British India more directly with arties, both remembering that any the responsibilities of Administra- and Fossoy, the enemy progressed on sometimes a breakdown threatened. difficulties arising will react on the tion, as they realised that such

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

ment in the Empire.

THE NEW ENEMY OFFENSIVE.

OPENS IN RHEIMS REGION.

LONDON, July 15. on the French front early this morning, the first on a front of 30 miles between Chateau Thierry and Bringny three or four miles south-west of Rheims, and the second east of Rheims between Prunay and Maisens-dés-Champagne on

a front of 25 miles. South-west of Rheims the Germans penetrated 5,000 yards into the French lines at Chateau Thierry and have taken Chezy on the Marne, also Bonquigny, 3,000 yards behind the original French front: The Germans have also taken the villages of Fricourt and Chanoiczy

The Germans "are held up east of Rheims in the French battle positions but south of Rheims the enemy substantially advanced and crossed the Marne at a number of places: Apparent ly the enemy's object is the cap ure of Rheims by attacking each side of it and the capture of the nills, in "order to protect the German right flank in

further advance southwards. Reuter's Correspondent at Paris, positions. describing the launching of the German attack, says it was accompanied by a diversion on the Ource Front, which the artillery completely broke down. An attempted German attack in the direction of La Fertemilon encountered such a formidable barrage that they

were unable to leave their lines. The Intransigeans reliably understands that the attack occurred on s date in a region where it was expected. Affairs were favourably viewed

REPORT FROM THE AMERICAN FRONT.

Reuter's Correspondent at American Headquarters, telegraphing to-day,

The Germans powerfully attacked missing. this morning the American positions east of Chateau Thierry, especially Vanx village, the Americans disputing every inch of ground. After some hours the In the East Pinsbury bye-election Americans counter-attacked and drove of the enemy in the Vaux region, and advanced their own lines several bundred metres beyond those proviously held. The launch of the offensive was accompanied by long rauge bombard

ments of various towns and areas. The weather was at first clear and sunny Since it has become cloudy, with TTALIAN DESTROYERS ASSIST. threatening rain. Fighting continues, es recially east of Dormans, where the Am ricans are engaged.

TRE NEW BATTLE FRONT

Renter' Correspondent at French Headquarter in telegraphing to day;

bisected by the cown of Rheims and on the Indian Reform Report, texti- Montagne-de-Rheim's a great wooded massif six or seven hundred feet high, eight miles south of the town. The Germans, do not intend to satack Montagne-de-Rheims frontally. Therefore they have disposed their line in two wings, each to advance inclependent-, with Rheims as the pivot. Chateau Thierry may be taken as the extreme western limit of the attack for the present. From Chateau Thierry the river is the dividing line as far as Verneuil, whence the line runs northeastward-in the direction of Rheims. crossing the broad belt of hills separating the Marne valley from the plain of ber and taking prisoners and machine-Rheims. From Verneuil to the point guns. give the enemy possession of Epernay. The German guns opened at midnight

on the whole front from Chateau Thierry to Main-de-Massiges. The French Command was not caught napping, our artillery having provoked explosions in the enemy's hidden munition dumps often enough to afford a clue to the preparations. The enemy's purpose was so correctly anticipated that on the night of July 14 our artillery counter preparation began at eleven o'clock, one hour before the German batteries began I their bombardment. The news received at mid-day was

reassuring and, on the whole, favourable. The German infantry attacked between three and four o'clock in the morning on the whole line except round Rheims The attack comprises two main sectors, one from Chateau Thierry to Verneuil and thence north-eastward to west of Rheims, and the other from Fort La Pompelle east of Rheims to Main-de-Massiges. In this eastern sector the enemy made no progress this morning. On the contrary, his attack has been shattered. The main weight of the onslaught was against the sector between Chateau Thierry and Rheims. There was the fiercest fighting all the morning along the Marne valley, the enemy employing Tanks in strong force.

FRENCH HIGH COMMAND

PLEASED:

LONDON, July 16. Reuter last night learnt that the French Higher Command is very pleased with the situation. Additional particulars to those given by the a twenty mile front on an average of The difficulties were overcome only at two or three miles," with a maximum the last moment. changes would tend to promote unity depth of three-and-a half at Belval and in India and prosperity and content- Camblezy.

.The enemy adopted no new methods. He advanced under cover of a mist and relied on the usual infiltration tactics; sending columns along the small valleys. The enemys is not using anything like one Division to a mile, as in the previous attacks. The French have already launched local counter-attacks.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN

PARLIAMENT. LONDON, July 165

In the House of Commons at 11.26 last evening, Mr. Bonar Law announced that the Prime Minister had received The Germans started two offensives telephonic communication from Head quarters in which General Foch reported himself well satisfied with the result of class was yet in the trenches. the day's fighting -(Cheers.)

Mr. Bonar Law read a special communiqué received at eleven o'clock in which it was stated that an American declined to undertake that youths under counter-attack south of the Marne prisoners-(Loud cheers). East Rheims the enemy was very heavily repulsed, suffered severe losses and received a complete check.

ENEMY COMMUNIQUES.

LONDON, July 16. "A wireless German official message

states :-The enemy stracked on July 14 south-westward of Ypres and penetrated our fighting zone on a limited breadth. The German evening official missage

To the south west and east of Rheims we penetrated parts of the French

THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, July 16.

morning in the neighbourhood of Villers strangled economically after the war: Bretonneux, and drove off an enemy The Chancellor insidiously proceeded party which attacked one of our posts. to attempt to influence Belgian opinion The total number of prisoners taken in in favour of Germany. the operation on July 14 at Ridge Wood was 328

Yesterday we heavily bombed sidings at Roulers, dumps at Warneton and Bapaume, and the Bruges docks; also dredging parties at Zecbrugge. We brought down nine secoplanes and three ballcone. Five of our seroplance are

THE ITALIAN FRONT NEW ATTACK REPULSED.

London, July 15.

An Italian offic al message reports:-The Italians and French carried out raids on Asisgo Plateau. We repulsed a new attack at Corone Chemiate and Storakeepore

ROME, July 15. In connection with the Albahian operations. Italian destroyers successfully bombarded the coastal zone in the neighbourhood of Cape Samana, destroy. ing dafensive works and dispersing the garrison, which suffered heavy casualties The new battle front is naturally during the retreat.

THE PALESTINE CAMPAIGN.

ENEMY ATTACKS REPULSED.

LONDON, July 15. "An' official message from Palestine

Enemy attacks developed on July 13 ind 14 against positions covering the passages of the Jordan and on Abutellal ridges, northward of Jericho. Indian cavalry dispersed the enemy eastward of the Jordan, lancing a num-

west of Rheims, marking the eastern The enemy penetrated positions Princes are concerned, the war has limit of the Marne sector of the attack, about Abutellul, but the Australians is about twelve miles. An advance of and New Zealanders, counter-attacking, the same distance in this sector would | entirely restored the position, taking | 400 prisoners.

The total number of priseners is 510, of whom 350 are Germans.

ALLIED AIR RAIDS.

PRUSSIAN TOWN BOMBED.

" THE HAGUE, July 15. The newspaper Les Nouvelles learns that the Allied air raid on Gladbach on the night of July 12-13, resulted in the incineration of the "railway station and widespread destruction of lines and crossings. The traffic to Holland was demonstrably much disorganised...

TUG AT ZEEBRUGGE SUNK. British aviators at Zeebrugge sank a tug endeavouring to remove one of the sunken British cruisers.

THE PRIBONERS OF WAR CONFERENCE.

AGREEMENT REACHED.

LONDON, July 15. In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law confirmed that the Anglo-Gorman War Prisoners Conference at The Hague bad reached an agreement, subject to ratification by the British and German Governments.

NEITHER SIDE GAINS ADVANTAGE.

LONDON, July 16. The Daily Telegraph Correspondent at correspondent at French Hendquarters Rotterdam states that Lord Newtonshow that at noon the offensive on the interviewed, considered the prisoners' Prunay-Massiges sector was held every agreement satisfactory: Nether side where except near Prosues, while the had gained any advantage. The negoenemy is occupied at Prunay, which is tistions were most difficult owing to the half a mile behind the line of attack. I importance attached by the Germans to West of Rheims, between Colommes their prisoners in the Colonies and

> The Correspondent adds that the agreement comprises the interned in Holland and Switzerland.

THE MILITARY SERVICE AGE.

YOUTHS UNDER NINETEEN MUST GO.

LONDON, July 13. In the House of Commons, Mr. Percy Harris (Coalitionist Member for Harborough), suggested that in view of the arrival of such large reinforcements from America, British youths should not be sent to France until they are nineteen years of age. He asked what is the age at which Americans were called up and whether the French 1920

Mr. Macpherson said he regretted that circumstances at present did not admit of the adoption of the suggestion and nineteen years of age would not be sent resulted in the capture of a thousand to the front line. He understood no Frenchmen of the 1920 class had yet been put into the trenches. The minimum age of American recruits was

GERMANY AND BELGIUM.

BELGIUM TO BE HELD AS

A PLEDGE. AMSTERDAM, July 16.

An additional telegram regarding Count Hertling's references to Belgium shows that the Chancellor said that the invasion and occupation of Belgium were necessities forced on Germany. Belgium would be held as a pledge in order to obtain peace conditions preventing her becoming the jump-Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig ing off ground for the enemy, not only militarily but economically. Ger-We again advanced our line this many must prevent herself being

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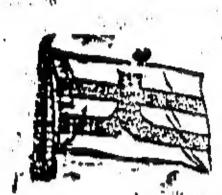
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on the foreshore at Alloa, a bottle; that had evidently, him there for security of the Italian lake district, to many a long year, recalls similar escape the vexation of the Austrian secret finds made on the East Coast, police, and his plaughter's bold, adven-When sinuggling was umpant, kegs and cases of brandy used to be of confidential disputches, revolutionary landed at quiet spots and huried in literature, and fireurns athwart the Austhe sand until required. We once trian lines in a double-bettemed four-insaw a keg lifted out of the sand in hand, which she herself used to drive. the Buddon district; but unfortu- heroine, and shortly afterwards, while nately it had lain too long, the lid staying at the Marquis's castle at Fine. haid rotted, and the liquor destroyed sought and obtained Ginseppina's hand in with sea water. The sinuggled stuff marriage. (in this district come fren. Holland,] and the illicit trade was quite com-(mon, especially gluring the herring of senator rank upon the father already year few fishing; bonts came home from the wedding function, Garibaldi without a keg of "stiff" for the found a young envalry officer named [New Year festivities: And not um- who revealed the fact that a linison had seldom the keg would be brouched for some time existed between himself plong before the "daft days came and the bride. on. We remember hearing the story ! Garibaldi thereman packed his baggage

drunk in a cellar beside a broached Fribourg. keg of strong brandy.

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Now that the one o'clock time gun in Edinburgh has been stopped so that invalid soldiers suffering from shell shock may not be startled, an annual May-time comedy that used to amuse Philistine pressmen wil he missed, at least for the duration of the war. The General Asserriablies are frequently engaged in prayer at one o'clock. When the gun is fired from the Half-Moon Battery of the Castle, only a few hundred yards away, they cannot help hearing it, and through force of long habit the "fathers and brethren are seen opening their eyes, furtively pulling out their watches, verifying' the time, then shutting their eyes and returning their watches to their pockets, their thoughts once more taking up the broken thread of the prayer.

WHO'S WHO IN THE CASUALTIES,

Lieut." W. C. Robertson, South Sysschised Carrat ... France 45,000,000 Watson's College, Edinburgh, and (1/3 of the Capital, i.e., France 15,000,000 Brazenose "College, Cambridge. When at Watson's he played wing three-quarters for three sensons, won the athletic championship of school in 1908-9, and established college record of 53,4-6 sec. for the quarter mile. At Brazenose he ran for Oxford against Cambridge in the quarter-mile in 1912-18. He is the ron of Mr. R. C. Robertson, formerly

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of Auchtertool, now of Warwick Academy, Bermuda,

Sec.-Lieut. John Traquair Strang. R.F.A., aged 20 (killed), was a son tot the late Mr. and Mrs. James D. Strange Shanghay and a grandson of Mr. J. T. Strang, formerly Secretary of the Charity Organisation Society, Glasgow, He received his education in Shanghai and in Allan Glen's School, Glasgow, and before joining the Army in August 1914 he was an apprentica engineer with G. is A. J. Weir. Cuthcart.

Major R. M. Christie, Labour ms (died of wounds), was well-Co. as an Association footballer, ables sums in improving Lewis, being prominent in his school and The Castle and policies alone cost University and later as a member of Ouester's Park F.C. He played ber of Queen's inst England in that he lost over \$40,000 in trying to 1883-4, when he was only 18 years the manufacture of paraffin and wax England in the following sex son; and was also a member of the

GARIBALDI'S TRAGIC ROMANCE.

WHY HE ABANDONED HIS. BEAUTIFUL BRIDE.

HER DEATH AT BO.

at tragic romance in the life of Gari. baldi is recalled by the death of his erstwhile wife, Marchioness Giuseppina Raimondi, which took place on April 20 in her villa at Birago, Lake Conio. The Liberator of Italy first met her as a beautiful girl of 18, when in June 1859 he"was encumped with his Alpine troops The discovery of a bottle of brandy at Robarello, near Varese. Her father, in veteran patriot, " had transferred his residence from Milan to the comparative Turons spirit led her to place her services

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of a fisherman who disappeared for and alandoned both castle" and spouse the same evening. The enraged father confined the girleto his palace at Como, to drag the harbour for his body; and whence she seized the first opportunity then he was discovered lying dead of escaping to rejoin her officer-lover at

After some months' wanderings in Switzerland, Caroli deserted her to fight for the freedom of Poland, where he met his death. The marchioness thenceforth consented to treturn to the paternal hearth, and lead a solitary life on her father's" estates. Finally, on January . 1880, the aged general had the joy of obtaining the annulment of "the hapunion, and was further enabled to legalise the status of his son Maulio and daughter Ciella, and thus fulfil what he described as." the last duty of my life." Soon after, the wife with whom he had never cohabited married at hoary Garibaldian esvalier, Ludovico Mancini, whom she has outlived to the ripe age of 80.

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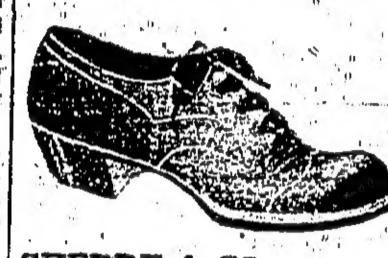
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THE MILITARY SERVICE TRIBUNAL

The following cases were decided after we went to press last night: -THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY. Messra, P. J. Taylor, T. Oliphans and B. W. Bradbury; passed as guardically fit.

Mr. H. W. Looker appeared on Boelalf of the Company.

The Chairman saids the Tribunal the health of the Colony. It also, supplied the Naval and Military authorities and shipping and transcert generally. The Tribunal had figures us to the preswar stuff.

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Stion in each case, making a lengthy estatement with regard to the work pf ench man.

Major Morgan urged non-exemp-Sion in the case of Mr. Taylor.

The Tribanal exempted Messes. Diphant and Bridbury, and Mr. Taylor was exempted until October

Mr. Looker asked for six months' exemption in the case of Mr. Taylor. The Chairman said that at the expiry of the term of exemption

duriber application could be made.

MESSES, ALEX. ROSS & CO.

Mr. J. Wather a lind passed us medically fit. " Exemption was not maked for and therefore not granted THE LONDON MISSIONARY

Mr. A. Hughes of the Educational Staff of the Mission had passed as medically lit.

SOCIETY.

Dr. Pearce appeared on behalf of the Society and said that Mr. Bughes was especially trained and Chinese financed a tininstitution and their interest centerat in Mr. Hughes. Their measure of confidence in the institution was the mensure of their confidence Mr. Hughes.

After disgussion with Dr. Pence, Tribunal, declined to grabt exemption.

EXEMPTIONS.

Chairman said: Since my remarks about exemptions at the close of the last sitting, we have her with a cane. been asked whether the Tribunal Mr. Wood imposed a fine of \$5. spill always be prepared, towards for begging and one month's imthe close of a period of temporary exemption, to hear and decide an application for its extension or varia-Zion." The answer is yes, with this texception, as I mentioned before. Blast we have no power to extend beyond a total of six months a tensponity exemption granted on the ground of personal hardship due to domestic or certain other circumstances referred to in Section 6 (413) of the Ordinance. I may add that in general, when the Tribunal grant temporary exemption, they are of accordingly. How long it would last be princed, subject to this possible did not think any same man would dare to estimate. Much had been said, and pinion, subject to this possible acconsideration, that the mun should

The Council then adjourned until Zomorrow, at 3.30.

HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been compiled at the National Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis. of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1909-9. The zero of the table corresponds with

the zero of the abunding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below mean sea-level To obtain the depth of water on the tide gange at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet A inches to the height given in the table.

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THEFT OF SESSAMUM.

A Chineses was charged before Mr. Wood this morning with having fillegally entered into a godown in Sam-sni-po and stolen from there 18 bags of sessamma vidued at \$188. Sergennt Murphy said that on the morning of the fifth the Police seized 16 bags, of sessamun on a truck in Reclamation Street, Yaunati. The "coolies on the spot informed the anderstood that the Company put it Police that they belonged to accused. That its business was essential for Several days afterwards two more bags were found in a temple. As at result of inquiries it was alleged that necessed with two others, one of whom was an employee of complain and and had since absoluted, used a false key and gaineff admittance into Mr. Looker said it was exactly the the premises." They removed the 18 wicks of sessamum and conveyed Complainant was quite anaware of Mr. Looker asked for total exemp- Police made investigations and ultisui po where he was arrested.

It appeared that previous to the day when the Police spixed the stolen property, accessed rented a portion of 240. Reglamation Street for storing the sessaman and last Wednesday as an identification parade as Yanmari Police Station defendant was picked out of by the principal

Defendant had given the mimes I his accomplices and Sergeunt Murphy asked his "Worship for : short remanded to afford time to the Police to truce the two men alleged to be participants in the thefts. . Mr. Wood granted the request and the case was adjourned until Satur-

STREET-BEGGING BY WABLE-BODIED MEN.

An able-bodied Chinese youth was charged with begging.

Sergenne Blackman said quite r good number of able-bodied young men were seen following a European, begging for alms in the vicinity of Bank Buildings. Ten cents were found on defendant's person.

Mr. J., R. Wood imposed a fine of \$5 with the alternative of seven days' hard labour.

ABEGGAR PUNISHED FOR

For attacking a woman living in West Point, a beggar appeared be-

fore Mr. J. P. Wood this morning. Complainant gave evidence to the effect that the beggar was asking for alms, which she did not gave l him. Consequently he belaboured

prisonment for assault.

SIR W. ROBERTSON ON A LONG

General Sir William Robertson speak in at a meeting of the Church Arm early in May said the 100 huts lost in the recent fighting must be replaced Our forces at the Front now contained and probably would continue to contain a larger number of 'young men that before. Account must be taken of the fact that the war might still last a lon time, and their efforts must be directed was being said, in respect to the reason why the war was not over now, but no good purpose would be served by discussing that there or anywhere else. W must take the facts as we find them When they were inclined to become impatient and critical they would do well to remember that at any rate one res son for the prolongation of the war wa that this country was not ready for at the time. whereas the enemy had speu long years in deliberate preparation fo

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Orders for Infantry Battalion by Major H. A. Morgan,

for information of all concerned.

PARADES.

A " Company. FRIDAY, 19th July: 5.30 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Platoons on Murray Parade Ground. T. E. T. Dress, drill order with pouches. No. I Platoon will parade during the week for T. E. T. as ordered by Platoon

MACHINE GUN COMPANY. FRIDAY, 19th July :-7.10 a.m. Beginners' Class at Headjuarters. RECREITS.

FRIDAY, July 19th :-5.30 p.m. All units except "D." Company on Murray Farade Ground, under Sergis. Oxberry and Meade. Dress, drill

Orders for Cadet Company by 2nd Lieut. J. E. W. Beard.

SATURDAY, July 20th:-1.30 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Sections Fall in at Hendquarters to proceed to Sai wan. G. E. STEWART, Captain, Adjutant, H.K. Defence Corps.

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T. F. CLAXTON, Director. Hongkong Observatory, July 18, 1918. 1. BAROMETER, reduced to 22 degrees Pahranneit, on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths. "2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade, in degross Fahrenheit 3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100. 4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points.

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T. P. CLAXTON Director. Horskoug, Observatory July 18, 1918.

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to the westward of Shanghai. Hongkong Bainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 43.66 inches, against an average of 45.73 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on the 19th July :-1.-Hongkong to Gap Rock: S.W. winds, moderate; fine.

2.—Formosa Channel: The same as 3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as 4.—South coast of China between

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Hongkong, July 18th, 1918.

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